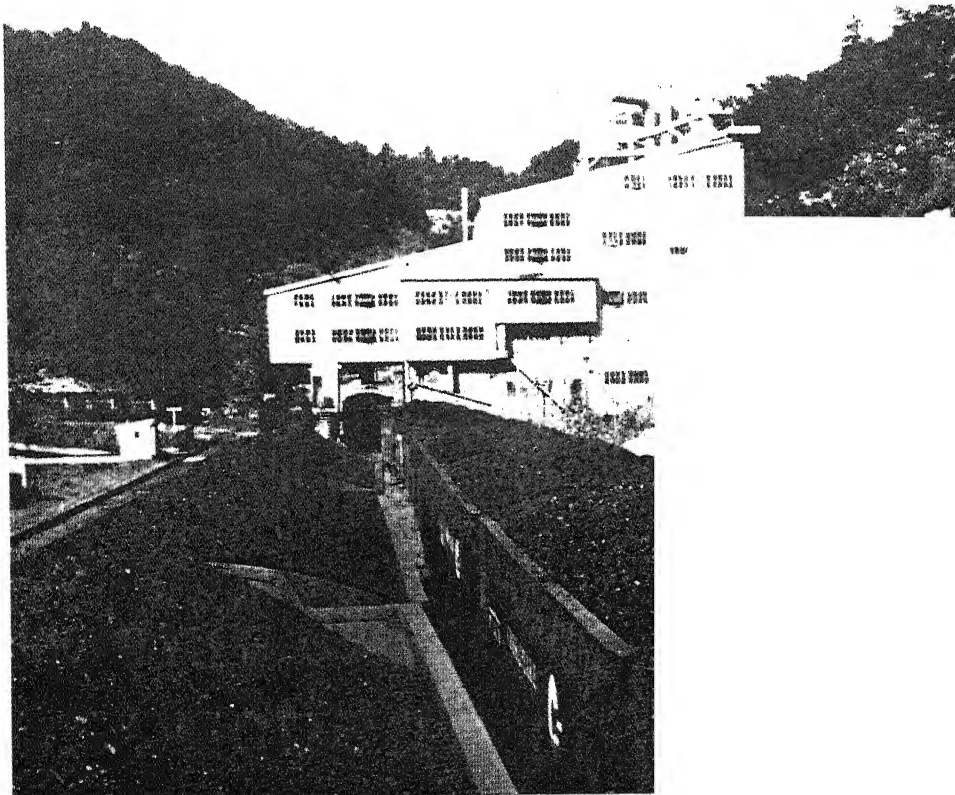




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Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
July 2, 1988



Summary

U.S. coal production in the week ended July 2, 1988, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 15.6 million short tons. This was 13.5 percent lower than production in the previous week due to the beginning of miners' vacation on June 25, 1988. This week's production was 24.0 percent higher than in the corresponding week of 1987, which included

both the beginning of miners' vacation and the Independence Day holiday.

A common vacation period is observed primarily east of the Mississippi, where a significant portion of the mines are affiliated with United Mine Workers of America (UMWA).

Figure 1. Coal Production

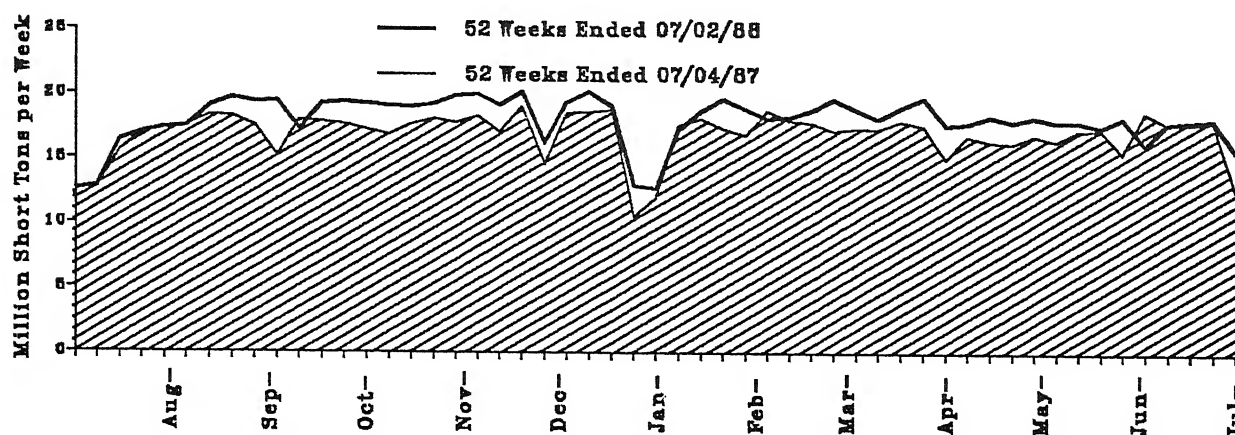


Table 1. Coal Production

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			52 Weeks Ended		
	07/02/88	06/25/88	07/04/87	07/02/88	07/04/87	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite	15,508	17,915	12,486	936,148	876,128	6.9
Pennsylvania Anthracite	67	86	80	4,310	4,246	1.5
Total	15,576	18,001	12,566	940,459	880,374	6.8
Cars Loaded	101,461	119,677	81,376	6,054,084	5,600,736	

¹Subbituminous coal.

²1988 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding. Source: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report" and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	07/02/88	06/25/88	07/04/87
Bituminous Coal ¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi	9,009	11,129	6,753
Alabama	355	479	322
Illinois	985	1,249	798
Indiana	559	642	481
Kentucky	2,356	2,909	2,012
Kentucky, Eastern	1,709	2,110	1,499
Kentucky, Western	647	799	513
Maryland	37	46	40
Ohio	515	656	424
Pennsylvania Bituminous	1,376	1,517	798
Tennessee	91	120	76
Virginia	702	917	393
West Virginia	2,034	2,594	1,408
West of the Mississippi	6,499	6,786	5,733
Alaska	25	31	19
Arizona	198	225	174
Arkansas	1	2	1
Colorado	288	282	104
Iowa	5	7	7
Kansas	23	29	20
Louisiana	67	68	46
Missouri	70	81	63
Montana	685	711	611
New Mexico	352	342	331
North Dakota	438	452	421
Oklahoma	50	53	72
Texas	682	828	774
Utah	351	352	141
Washington	80	93	62
Wyoming	3,184	3,230	2,887
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total	15,508	17,915	12,486
Pennsylvania Anthracite	67	86	80
U.S. Total	15,576	18,001	12,566

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

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